



Lamoine Consolidated School

May 25, 2006

BASEBALL / SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

This upcoming week will see our baseball and softball teams vying for post-season honors. Tuesday afternoon, the boys will be the visiting team in a quarter-final game against either the number 3 or 4 seeded team. At this time, we do not know where this game will be.

The girls having finished the regular season in either the 1st or 2nd place position and have drawn a bye and will not play until Thursday in a semi-final game here at Lamoine School.

Tuesday, May 30th – Quarter-Finals

Thursday, June 1st – Semi-Finals

Wednesday, June 7th – Championship Game

SPRING SPORTS AWARDS

Awards Night will be on Monday, June 12 at 5:00 pm. This is for the baseball and softball teams and grades 5, 6 & 7 citizenship and academic awards.

HOT LUNCH MONEY

Hot lunch accounts need to be paid in full by the end of the school year. Please call the school to get the total due for your student.

GRADES 5 - 8 CONCERT

The concert for grades 5 – 8 is scheduled for 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, May 25th.

8TH GRADE GRADUATION

The Lamoine 8th grade graduation is scheduled for Tuesday, June 13th at 6:00 p.m.

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

The last day of school will be Thursday, June 15th.

JINA'S GYM BENEFIT DANCE

Thank you to everyone who helped with the dance, donated food and everyone who attended! Over \$1,000 was raised for Jina's Gym.

NO SCHOOL REMINDER

Thursday, May 25 – early dismissal at 12:15

Friday, May 26 – Union 92 In-Service Day

Monday, May 29 – Memorial Day

6th, 7th & 8th GRADE DRAMA

6th, 7th, 8th graders interested in drama?

Acting? Tech? Music? Backstage work?

Carol Korty will again direct Lamoine

Middle School students in a play to perform at the Grange Hall, Saturday, July 8th. The script

we pick will depend on how many people wish to be involved and are able to commit to the

rehearsal schedule. **Registration forms need to**

be dropped off in the school office by

Tuesday, May 30th.

RAISE THE FLAG DANCE!

Help us Raise the Flag! PATRONS will hold a COMMUNITY WIDE, all ages dance on Friday, June 2nd from 6:30-9:30pm. If the weather is

good, we will hold this OUTSIDE! Music by DJ Bill DaButler. Admission \$4.00 per person, with

a family price limit of \$12! Children in 3rd grade and under MUST be accompanied by an

adult. Concessions on sale. Proceeds to help

pay for a new flag pole for the ball field.

Volunteers and donations of water and soda

needed, contact Angie Butler @ 266-1555 or

tyger2@adelphia.net

SAVE THIS DATE!

Sunday, June 4th - 2pm till whenever! (Rain date

Sun, June 11th) The Lamoine PATRONS invite

you to our Year End CELEBRATION! A

Family Fun Day with Bar B Q! We'll play a

game of ball, socialize and have a potluck bar b

que. PATRONS will provide the hot dogs,

hamburgers, rolls, condiments and paper goods -

you can bring drinks, potluck salad, chips or

dessert to share! We will need 4 Bar B Q grills.

If you can lend yours to the event, please let us

know. We will also need a couple willing chefs

to work those grills too! PLEASE, You MUST

RSVP to Angie Butler by Tuesday, May 30th.

See flyer for full details! email

tyger2@adelphia.net

DRESS CODE

Every year about this time, as the weather turns warmer, we start to see student dress that goes beyond the limits of our dress code. One of the provisions of the student dress code says, “that unacceptable attire includes not only clothing that promotes alcohol, tobacco or other drugs but dress that is immodest or revealing that distracts from the educational process.” Parental awareness of the clothing students are wearing will be helpful. Shorts need to be at least fingertip length. **NO belly shirts or short shorts!**

CHEERLEADING CAMP AT HUSSON

Cheerleaders who would like to go to camp to please call Cori-Lynn @ 460-0010 to register before May 25th! NCA Camp at Husson College is from July 11-14, for girls and boys that will be in the 5th through 9th grade next fall (even if you have never cheered before)! Total camp price is \$235.00 and \$50.00 is due at registration!!

UPCOMING JINA GYM EVENTS

June 2nd – Wine Dinner at the Seafood Ketch Restaurant in Bass Harbor.

June 19th – Flash in the Pan Steel Band Concert at Lamoine State Park starting at 7:00 p.m. Admission Free, but donations accepted and Lobster Stew available for \$5.00 a bowl.

June 20th – Memorial Walk/Bike Ride & Bon Fire to commemorate the 1st anniversary of Jina’s passing starting at 7:00 p.m. Starts at Lamoine State Park, go to Lamoine Beach and back to the Park.

June 30th – Casino Night at the Atlantic Oakes in Bar Harbor from 6:00 – 11:00 p.m.

PRINCIPAL’S CORNER

Bob Stuart, who is an acquaintance of mine and the Director of Maine College Circle, has supported college scholarship programs for young Maine students for the past eight years. His organization is aiming to reach many more students statewide as a way for Maine businesses, communities, and individuals to support Maine’s children and to build Maine’s future.

Mr. Stuart says, “It is hard to overlook the great potential we have in this state when you read many of the applications.” It is hard for Maine College Circle not to be able to support

many great applicants with great goals for college and beyond. As someone who has spent a lifetime in Maine, I see Maine turning elsewhere for our solutions to economic prosperity. It is truer today than it was twenty years ago in Maine. Our best solutions are right here in Maine. We just have to have the commitment and foresight to help them grow.”

One Maine guidance counselor wrote recently to Mr. Stuart saying, “The students of this school face a lot of challenges due to the remote location and the low socioeconomic level of the area. I feel it is necessary for you to understand the great effort it has taken for these students to complete these applications. For the most of these students, college is an unknown. Most of these students do not see college as an option. Explaining the process to them and the reason for doing it was a difficult task. It is important that you know a lot of these students come from challenging home situations. Even though it may not appear in all cases, this is their best effort. This has been a great learning experience for all of us.”

After reading this article about Bob Stuart and his Maine College Circle last week, I saw a nice publication entitled: “Life 101- The Magazine For College Bound Students.” A little segment in this pamphlet explained how to start the process of obtaining financial aid. To apply for federal and state aid, you’ll need to file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) on paper, or online at www.fafsa.ed.gov. If you are applying online it’s a good idea to complete the Pre-Application Worksheet at www.fafsa.ed.gov.

It might be good practice to access the Pre-Application Worksheet and look it over carefully in anticipation of that time when your son/daughter will be getting ready to apply to colleges. Once you access the above site, you do have to establish a personal identification number (PIN). Another good idea for completing the Pre-Application Worksheet is that all information can be electronically transferred to any other applications. Other Websites include www.famemaine.com, www.collegeboard.com, and www.studentaid.ed.gov/guide.

It is never too early to start thinking about college!